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WANTS.

ADVERTISEMENTS of To Let, Wanted, Etc., under these heads, four lines or under 25 cents for each insertion; and pro rata for more space or longer time.

WANTED—A general Servant. Apply to S. TIMES office. au27-3t

WANTED—Employment by a steady middle aged man (without incumbrance) as a light porter, messenger or caretaker in a business house, or to make himself generally useful about a gentleman's farm or garden. Good references here and to England, security if required. Apply to K. J. Davis, Angel Hotel, Langley street, Victoria, B. C. au26-1w

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TO LET—10 roomed House at $30 per month. Crane, McGregor & Boggs. aug15

TO LET—6 roomed house, James Bay at $22 per month. Crane, McGregor & Boggs. a15

TO LET—Stores and offices on Douglas street. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. aug15

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TO LET,—After July 1st, the handsome residence Maplehurst, 153 Blanchard street, unfurnished. Apply C. W. Rhodes. ap18-tf

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FOR SALE—Lot on Parry street, James Bay; $750. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. au15

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DR. J. HALL
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Chapter, No. 139, G.R.S. Regular convocations held on the first Tuesday of every month, at Chapter Hall, Masonic Temple, Douglas street, sojourning companions cordially invited. W. J. QUINLAN, Scribe E.
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FAR WEST LODGE, No. 1, K. of P.
Regular convention every Friday evening at Foresters' Hall, Government street. Sojourning Knights are cordially invited to attend. R. J. PLUMMER, K. of R. & S.
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ST. ANDREW'S & CALEDONIAN
Society meets in their hall, corner Langley and Yates streets, on the first Friday in every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join.
J. M. MURDOCH, Secretary.

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Yards and cesspools cleaned, by contract or monthly. Orders may be left at Demers and Son, Grocers, corner Douglas and Pandora streets; Mr. Fee, corner North Park and Quadra streets; Mr. Nathan, Spring Ridge; Mr. Moffatt, corner Fort and Blanchard streets. aug16-1m

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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RAILROAD RATES.

President Van Horne Defines the Position of the C. P. R.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—President W. Van Horne, of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who has been making a brief visit to Chicago, says there is not any truth whatever in the reports that the Canadian Pacific intend to purchase the Wabash Railway or any part thereof. His company, he said, does not contemplate the construction or absorption of a new line between Detroit and Chicago. It has at present a strong traffic agreement with the Wabash, and as long as that company carried out the provisions of the contract, the Canadian Pacific would make no attempt to secure an independent outlet from Detroit.

MORE MONOPOLY.

An English Syndicate to Control the Price of Tobacco.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—The Sun says: An English syndicate is now pushing a scheme by which they expect to obtain control of the tobacco warehouse trust. The new syndicate will have control of the market for western tobacco. It is expected that the warehousemen of Clarksville, Tenn., will join this syndicate. Warehousemen solicit consignments of tobacco crop from the planters directly, and then sell by auction. In this way planters are almost wholly at the mercy of the warehousemen. Mr. M. Untemeyer who has placed a good deal of foreign capital in this country said yesterday that the report that the warehouse contract had been closed was not correct. Negotiations are still pending, but within the next ten days the syndicate will probably control of the principal warehouses in the western tobacco business.

As regards the five year dressed beef contract made by the Canadian Pacific with one of the dressed beef shippers, which caused the present war on dressed beef rates, Mr. Van Horne said the contract was similar to the contract made by one or two of the regular trunk lines, and he could see no good reason why those roads should object to his company pursuing their methods. The Canadian Pacific does not intend to cut rates, but thinks it is entitled to the same rate on dressed beef as the Grand Trunk.

Regarding the bill recently introduced to Congress by Congressman Taylor of Chicago, prohibiting the carrying of goods in bond through Canada, the president said he did not think that Congress could afford to pass such a bill, because it would hurt American lines much more that Canadian roads. Such a bill, he said, might benefit a few eastern trunk lines, but it would do incalculable injury to roads to the Northwest and New England. It would prevent the latter from competing with New York lines for the seaboard and export trade.

AMERICAN DISPATCHES.

THE SWIFTEST TORPEDO BOAT IN THE WORLD.

A Well Digger Strikes Natural Gas, and is Severely Burnt—A Theatre Burnt Down—The Cronin Murder Appeal Case—Powderly and the Knights of Labor.

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—A dispatch to the Herald from Washington says: According to a journal published by the Society of Naval Engineers, the fastest torpedo boat extant is a little torpedo despatch boat built after a new type introduced by Schican, of Germany, for the Russian Government. She is similar in principle to the Italian boats and is 152 feet 2 inches long, 17 feet beam and about 150 tons displacement. The engines are twin screws, triple expansion, of about 2300 indicated horse-power. There are two locomotive boilers. It is officially reported that she made a mean speed during six runs over a measured mile of 27.4 knots. This beats the best record our little Cushing and all Spanish boats, which have hitherto taken the lead in point of speed, and makes the Russian Government the possessor of the fastest little craft in the world.

Quick Time.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—The White Star steamship Majestic which arrived this morning from Liverpool, made the trip in 5 days 22 hours and 21 minutes.

More Railroad Trouble.

CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—All switchmen employed on the Chicago and Alton Railway struck this morning, upon request of officials of the road. Supt. Marsh detailed a squad of policemen to guard the company's property.

A Quick Passage.

QUEENSTOWN, Aug. 26.—The steam ship City of New York, which left New York August 20 in company with the White Star steamer Teutonic passed Broad-head at 12:25 p. m. to-day.

Peace With Honor.

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—A special to the Herald from Acajutla, Salvador, says: Provisional President Ezeta met Minister Mizner here to-day, and held a conference with him on the subject of peace. Ezeta said peace must be established on basis honorable to Salvador, otherwise war with Guatemala will be re-opened this week.

A Well of Fire.

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—A dispatch from Paris, Taxas, to the Herald says: Chas. Gooding, who lives in the Indian Territory, thirty miles from this city, employed Michael Duhaney to dig a well on his place. Last Saturday, Duhaney had reached a depth of sixty-six feet; he came out for his dinner, and on his return had been lowered twenty feet when he screamed to his assistants to haul him out quick, as he was burning up. He was taken out in an unconscious condition, and then the flames burst out. It was three hours before he revived. The poor fellow was badly burned. His coat which had been thrown across the windlass was scorched till it crumbled to pieces. The rope was also burned until it fell apart. No scientific investigation has been made, but it is thought that Duhaney opened a vein of natural gas.

A TRAIN ABLAZE.

Ignited by an Exploded Boiler—Two Lives Lost.

MANSFIELD, Ohio, Aug. 27.—As freight train No. 22, eastbound, on the New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio Railway was pulling into Pavonia, a small station seven miles east of here, about 2.30 this morning, the boiler of the engine exploded with terrific force. The engineer and fireman were instantly killed, the bodies being mangled and burned beyond recognition. The head brakeman, Frank Connor, of Galien, who was on the fourth car from the engine, was thrown 75 feet from the train and escaped with but slight injuries. The train consisted of about 17 cars, mostly all oil tanks, which immediately took fire, and nearly the entire train was consumed, and the track badly damaged for fully 200 yards. The loss to the railway company will probably reach $25,000. The killed are A. L. Graham, engineer, who leaves a family; Jos. Murphy, fireman, single, of Urbana, Ohio.

THE CRONIN MURDER.

Interest in This Notorious Case Being Revived.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., Aug. 26.—When the Supreme court meets next month for the fall term, the case of the state as against the appeal of the convicted murderers of Dr. Cronin will be personally argued by Attorney-General Hunt, who has been furnished with a copy of the voluminous record, and which, in bulk, nearly exceeds that of the anarchist case, and proposes to devote considerable of his time to it during the next few weeks. Recent developments show that nearly all the important witnesses for the state who testified upon the trial of Coughlin and his associates are either dead or have mysteriously disappeared, and that as a consequence the state could hardly proceed with the second trial in the event of the verdict being set aside by the Supreme court. This fact has quickened the energies, and once more aroused the activity of the thousands of friends and countrymen of the murdered physician, through whose instrumentality three of the murderers now languishing in Joliet, and who proposes sooner or latter that the king bee of the conspiracy and the crime, and who now walks the streets of Chicago a free man shall have his guilt brought home to his door. The near possibility that unless the case was strongly presented some flaw might be found in the record which would justify the supreme court in remanding the case, has put these men on their metal, and were it necessary thousands of dollars would be forthcoming in a twinkling for the employment of the best council obtainable to plead in opposition to the appeal. With the entrance of Attorney General Hunt into the case, however, there will be no need for outside assistance and the opinion is confidently expressed that after his discussion of the record the appeal will be dismissed.

A FIERCE FIRE.

Which Taxes the Engines of the Whole Department to Vanquish.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—McVicker's theatre, No. 82 Madison street, one of the finest theatres in the city, was practically destroyed by fire this morning. Loss about $250,000. The fire started about two o'clock and at 4:30 it was still raging, all the down town fire departments playing on the building to prevent its spreading to valuable buildings adjoining it. One fireman was fatally injured by falling walls.

The fire, which originated in McVicker's theatre building is spreading. The Chicago Tribune building is now on fire, and the flames have been spreading from the rear of McVicker's building across the alley, doing considerable damage and also to Monroe street. Chapin and Gore's liquor store and the Bennett hotel are now on fire. Loss will probably approximate $700,000. A wall of a building reaching eight stories in height, went down with a terrific crash into the narrow alley. John Duffy, a fireman, came down with the debris, landing fairly on his head on a jagged pile of mortar and bricks. He is fearfully mangled and probably fatally injured. Duffy's comrades on the roof escaped with their lives. They heard the wall cracking and ran to the centre roof just as the great mass went down, and subsequently escaped to the street by means of the fire escape.

THE HOP YIELD.

Below the Average in the East, but of Excellent Quality.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Aug. 27.—The New England Homdstead's carefully prepared report of the hop crop of the country shows there is considerable shortage, particularly in New York State. The average yield of all the growing territory will fall nearly 20 per cent. under a full crop. In New York State only three-quarters of an average crop will be harvested. Massachusetts, which grows few hops, will have 75 per cent. of a full crop; Maine, 90 per cent.; Vermont, a full crop; Wisconsin, 60 per cent.; and California, 90 per cent. This shortage alone will be sufficient to send prices up, but added to this fact that most hops which have passed out of the hands of the growers, prices reached 40 cents per pound in New York, and 27½ in California. The prices offered in these two states govern sales in other states. One-third of the crop was contracted for early in the season at prices ranging from 16 to 20 cents. Growers generally are holding their crops for an advance and are sure one will come. While the crop is short the quality is better than usual, the yards being free from lice, and nothing injured. The dry weather checked the making of vine, which accounts for the light yield.

LABOR'S CONVULSIONS.

Powderley's Views—A General Strike to be Inaugurated.

ALBANY, Aug. 26.—Members of District Association 246 in this city intimate with Powderly stated this morning that the chief said that the Federation merely took the conservative course they were compelled to take by reason of their charter. They sent a word of sympathy and caution to members of the Federation, however, to look out for any encroachment upon their rights, and Powderly believes they will seize the first opportunity to strike. That opportunity, he predicts, will occur before three days are gone by. In fact Powderly almost assured the members of the District Assembly 246 that a general strike would soon occur. It is further claimed upon the part of the Knights this morning that as yet only a part of their men are out on the road, and that when the general order goes out there will be more trouble yet. The general order for a strike of all Knights of Labor on the Central railway will be given to-night, and on all other connecting roads aiding the Central to move freight, on Thursday.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

Rev. Mr. Maclaren, of Vancouver, returned home to-day.

Mr. T. S. Gore leaves on September 5th for the City of Mexico.

Mrs. W. Chambers and daughter left this morning for Puget Sound to visit friends.

J. M. Bowell, collector of customs at Vancouver, was in the city to-day on his way to Friseo.

Mr. Wm. Whyte, General Superintendent of the C.P.R. western division, arrived from Winnipeg last night and is at the Driard. Dr. Lynch accompanies him.

Rev. John Wilkie, M. A., of Indore, India, wife and child, returned to Vancouver to-day. They will be passengers on the Abyssinia for Hongkong, from which point they take steamer for Bombay or Colombo. From Bombay, the journey to Indore, a city of 80,000 people, is two days.

Mr. H. Pittock, proprietor of the Portland Oregonian, which is unquestionably the best edited paper on the Pacific coast, spent Tuesday in Victoria visiting his brother, Mr. W. Pittock, Menzies street. Mr. Pittock is the autocrat of the Portland press. The Oregonian, with its evening edition, the Telegram, is the only paper in that city, which has a population (not according to the census) of say 50,000 people. Imagine Victoria with 50,000 people and only one paper! Why, there would be at least half a dozen.

Do Not Be Deceived.

"In Darkest Africa" is the title of Mr. Stanley's book. All others are bogus.

EUROPEAN NEWS.

A SERIOUS STREET RIOT IN BERLIN.

A Lieutenant Severely Punished for Criticizing—Vice-President Webb Sized up by the Council of Railway Employees—Experiences of a Boycotted Farmer.

BERLIN, Aug. 27.—A street fight that bordered very closely on a riot has just occurred here. A large number of socialists held a meeting in Fredrichshin brewery and the grounds about it on Monday. During the evening the mob had gathered outside the gates and grew so large that the streets in the immediate vicinity became impassible. It is estimated that there were 1,000 roughs present, who then made a concentrated attack and broke down the fences and invaded the park. They were met, however, by the socialists, and a desperate fight followed, clubs and sticks being freely used, but the timely arrival of mounted police prevented bloodshed. When the police themselves rode into the mass of fighters they were received with shower of stones. They replied with heavy work with their swords and finally put the disturbers to flight. Anarchists at a meeting explain the melee by saying that the mob was incited to attack by blantant agitators of the radical branch of the anarchists who are not in sympathy with their peaceful methods.

Heavy Punishment.

CITY OF MEXICO, Aug. 27.—The court martial to hear the re-trial of the case of Lieut. Augustin De Sturbide for critisizing his superior officers, was convened here this morning and Sturbide was found guilty of the charge and sentenced to 340 days imprisonment to date from July 27, dismissal from the army, and inhibitation from holding public office for a period of 10 years. Sturbide's case has attracted much more than ordinary attention, owing to his high social position both here and in Washington. He was in fact, the adopted heir of Maximilian, to succeed to the throne of Mexico.

A GIGANTIC SCHEME.

The Atlantic to be Traversed by Steamer in Three and a Half Days.

QUEBEC, Aug. 27.—The most gigantic system ever projected in Canada is about to be started. The promoters are chiefly French and English capitalists. Sir Hector Langevin, minister of public works for the Dominion, and Sir Charles Tupper, high commissioner for Canada in London, are largely interested parties. The scheme is to build a road eastward from Quebec to St. Charles Bay on the Labrador coast, a distance of some 80 miles, from which point large steamers are expected to make the voyage to Milford Haven, in Wales, in 3½ days.

By this route it is expected that passengers, and possibly freight, can be carried from Chicago to London inside of seven days. The company calls itself the "North Canadian Atlantic Railway and Steamer Company." The capital of the company is twenty millions, but it has authorized itself to bond its road for the purchase of steamships. The provisional directors include Henry Isaacs, lord Mayor of London; Robert N. Fowler, M.P., banker; Thomas Woods, Milford; Chas. G. Mott, director of the Great Western railway; William R. Batch, banker, of London; and Sir Douglas Fox, an eminent English engineer, who is also consulting engineer of the company. The head office of the company is in England, and the English directors have sent one of their number, Mr. Batch out to make preliminary arrangements. The company will have 5000 men at work by spring.

LONDON CHAT.

The Experiences of a Boycotted Farmer—Cholera Ravages, etc.

LONDON, Aug. 26.—Advices from Jeddah state that cholera, which broke out among the pilgrims returning from Mecca, originated with Hindoos, and spread to others. The pilgrims were in a terrible condition of filth. They huddled together by thousands in the dampness, unwashed and without sufficient food. Hundreds died who were not reported, and the real number of fatalities will never be known.

Bishop O'Dwyer's letter anent the Dillon dispute, says he doesn't impute personal dishonesty to Dillon, but simply adheres to the Papal decision from Persico's report, and denounces the plan of campaign and the system of boycotting. Despite the clerical condemnation the boycott is still employed as a political weapon, and the system is specially strong in the west of Ireland. The case of a man named Ryan, living near Limerick, is being cited as a proof of the thoroughness with which the plan is carried out. Ryan has been striving since 1887 to live on an evicted farm. The results have been singular, for speeches denouncing Ryan two members of parliament, Finucane and Sheehy, Rev. Father Nariman and others were sentenced to imprisonment; the congregation left the gallery in the chapel as soon as Ryan entered it; a grocer in Limerick sent a messenger after him and returned him money paid for goods ordered as soon as he knew to whom the goods had been sold. Ryan has been shadowed at the fair, and the police began to shadow the shadowers; and he could not get his horses shod; a firm that had always repaired his mowing machine refused to do so any longer and he has been subjected, he declares, "to all annoyance and inconvenience that human agency can devise," but still he holds on.

A demonstration of the miners in the Derbyshire district was held to-day, at which 15,000 men were present. Resolutions favoring the eight hours a day were adopted.

A pleasure boat was capsized to-day at Deal, and seven of the occupants drowned.

Seaside Villa has been engaged for Dhuleep Singh's English residence. The Government [illegible] the Maharajah a handsome pension, but, so far as at present indicated, he will be disappointed in his expectations of having any part of his dominion returned to him.

The Daily Telegraph, in a leading article, denounces John Burns as a charlatan and warns British workmen against danger in continuing their present attitude of superstitious faith in their so-called leader.

LONDON, Aug. 26.—The fact that seven thousand Socialists were allowed to meet openly in Berlin last night, and that Herr Bebel was allowed to address them for two hours, is an indication of the relaxation which, under young Emperor William and since Bismarck's fall, has been made in the administration of the anti-Socialist laws. The conclusion must not be arrived at too hastily, however, that an era of perfectly free speech has dawned upon Germany. The fact is that a complete understanding existed in advance between Herr Bebel and the police as to what the substance of his address was to be. Otherwise, it is improbable that the meeting would have been allowed to take place at all. The speech accordingly was a very moderate one, and it is being referred to with great complaisance by the government organs as proving the wisdom and far seeing statesmanship of the Emperor, who by his policy and leniency towards the Socialists and of solicitude for the welfare of the working classes, has inspired even the Arch-Socialist Bebel to place confidence in the government's good intentions. This is a trifle exaggerated, but it is near enough to the truth to pass well with the admirers of the Emperor. The meeting after listening to Herr Bebel's address, resolved unanimously to defer all future meetings and all newspaper polemics until after international congress, which meets at Halle in October.

A MATTERHORN RAILWAY.

A railway company which is making desperate efforts to secure from the Swiss government a right of way up the famous Matterhorn, is meeting with an equally earnest opposition from the people, who regard the proposal as one of desecration. Though the excuse for the railway is that it would accommodate tourists, the chief opposition to the scheme comes from that very class, who argue that the picturesqueness and healthfulness of the Swiss villages would largely disappear with the advent of a railway.

BRIEF LOCALS.

The Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

The San Francisco steamers are bringing less fruit up every trip as the season is closing.

Some of the latest novelties in the new lot of silverware just received by Lange & Co.

The members of the Board of Aldermen will meet at the City Hall to-night to transact civic business.

London Lancet strongly recommends "Montserrat" Lime-Fruit Juice as an absolutely pure and delicious hot weather drink.

The attention of the street committee is respectfully called to a sadly damaged sidewalk corner of Broughton and Langley streets.

The attention of the sanitary officer is directed to the corner of Langley street and Law Courts alley, as a vehement smell abides there.

Amongst the freight by the steamer Walla Wall from San Francisco was 676 sacks of malt for the local brewers! Victorians don't intend to be dry.

The master barbers of Seattle have met in solemn conclave, and by mutual agreement raised the price of hair cutting in "pompadour" style, to 50 cents.

The dry goods men of the city are kept busy filling orders for fine goods very likely to be used in decorating the fair sex for the naval ball on Friday evening.

Tons of plums are now offered to local dealers for almost a song. One cent per pound seems about the ruling price, although discounts are made on large lots.

A stench that would do credit to the vilest dens of Chinatown arises from something, that no one cares to investigate, at the corner of Blanchard and Pandora streets.

The telegraph office has been removed to a room in the same block two doors south of the old place, which will be fitted up for an office for the B. C. Land and Investment Co.

The bountiful fruit supply this season has resulted in a great deal of jam making being done by the thrifty housewife, whose heart swells with pride as she contemplates the result of her labors.

The sockeye run is over for this year, the catch having decreased until the average to the boat is about 25 fish. Some spring nets are now being put in the water and fair catches are reported, as high as 25 having been secured during one night's fishing.

Prof. Granat, the well known violinist, has opened a school of instruction at his residence, 54 Quadra street. Violin playing is all the go in eastern cities, many young ladies being very proficient with the bow. Undoubtedly success will attend Prof. Granat's undertaking here.

The Wanderers desire to have a good attendance at the club run on Thursday evening, and every member is requested to turn out. Non-members are also invited to join. After the run one or two matters pertaining to wheeling will be discussed by the club. It is hoped that an interest will be taken in this run. There are now over forty wheels in town, and a good showing ought to be made. The meet is called at 7:15 p. m., at Bastion Square, Thursday.

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CHAPTER VIII.—(Continued.)

Mr. Blake said it reminded him of his [illegible] when he used to take him to the great toy stores at Christmas: "Look all you like, long for it as much as you please, but don't touch." Merton and Royce, of the cavalry, said it was simply a challenge to any better fellow to cut in and cut out the Knickerbocker; and, to do them justice, they did their best to carry out their theory. Both they and their comrades of the Riflers were assiduous in their attentions to Miss Travers, and other ladies, less favored, made acrimonious comment in consequence. A maiden sister of one of the veteran captains in the —th, a damsel whose stern asceticism of character was reflected in her features and grimly illustrated in her dress, was moved to censure of her more attractive neighbor.

"If I had given my heart to a gentleman," said she, and her manner was indicative of the long struggle which such a bestowal would cost both him and her, "nothing on earth would induce me to accept attentions from any one else, not even if he were millions of miles away."

But Nellie Travers was "accepting attentions" with laughing grace and enjoying the society of these young fellows immensely. The house would have been gloomy without her and "the boys," Rayner was prompt to admit, for he was ill at ease and sorely worried, while his inflammable Kate was fuming over the situation of her husband's affairs. Under ordinary circumstances she would have seen very little to object to so long as Nellie showed no preference for any one of her admirers at Warrener, and unless peevish or perturbed in spirit would have made little allusion to it. As matters stood, however, she was in a most querulous and excitable mood; she could not rail at the real cause of her misery, and so, womanlike, she was thankful for a pretext for uncorking the vials of her wrath on somebody or something else.

If the young matrons in garrison who, with the two or three visiting maidens, were disposed to rebel at Miss Nell's apparent absorption of all the available cavaliers at the post, and call her a too lucky girl, could but have heard Mrs. Rayner's nightly tirades and hourly rebukes, they might have realized that here, as elsewhere, the rose had its stinging thorns. As for Miss Travers, she confounded her sister by taking it all very submissively and attempting no defense. Possibly conscience was telling her that she deserved more than she was getting, or that she would be likely to get until her sister heard of the adventure with Mr. Hayne.

"By the way," said Mr. Royce one evening as they were stamping off the snow and removing their heavy wraps in Rayner's hallway after a series of garrison calls, "Mrs. Waldron says she expects you to play for her to-morrow afternoon, Miss Travers. Of course it will be my luck to be at stables."

"You hear better music every afternoon than I can give you, Mr. Royce."

"Where, pray?" asked Mrs. Rayner, turning quickly upon them.

Mr. Royce hesitated, and—with shame be it said—allowed Miss Travers to meet the question:

"At Mr. Hayne's, Kate."

There was the same awkward silence that always followed the mention of Hayne's name. Mrs. Rayner looked annoyed. It was evident that she wanted more information—wanted to ask, but was restrained. Royce determined to be outspoken.

"Several of us have got quite in the way of stopping there on our way from afternoon stables," he said, very quietly. "Mr. Hayne has his piano now, and has nearly recovered the full use of his eyes. He plays well."

Mrs. Rayner turned about once more, and without saying so much as good night, went heavily upstairs, leaving her escort to share with Mr. Royce such welcome as the captain was ready to accord them. If forbidden to talk on the subject nearest her heart, she would not speak at all. She would have banged her door, but that would have waked baby. It stung her to the quick to know that the cavalry officers were daily visitors at Mr. Hayne's quarters. It was little comfort to know that the infantry officers did not go, for she and they both knew that, except Maj. Waldron, no one of their number was welcome under that roof, unless he would voluntarily come forward and say, "I believe you innocent." She felt that but for the stand made by Hayne himself, most of their number would have received him into comradeship again by this time, and she could hardly sleep that night from thinking over what she had heard.

But could she have seen the figure that was slinking in the snow at the rear door of Hayne's quarters that very evening, peering into the lighted rooms, and at last after many an irresolute turn, knocking timidly for admission and then hiding behind the corner of the shed until Sam came and put his pigtailed head out in the wintry darkness in wondering effort to find the visitor, she would not have slept at all.

It was poor Clancy, once more mooning about the garrison and up to his old tricks. Clancy had been drinking; but he wanted to know, "could he speak with the lieutenant?"

CHAPTER IX

"I have been reading over your letter of Thursday last, dear Steven," wrote Miss Travers, "and there is much that I feel I ought to answer. You and Kate are very much of a mind about the 'temptations' with which I am surrounded; but you are far more imaginative than she is, and far more courteous. There is so much about your letter that touches me deeply, that I want to be frank and fair in my reply. I have been thinking all this evening, was out at dinner before that, and have made many calls this afternoon; but, tired as I am, my letter must be written, for to-morrow will be but the repetition of to-day. Is it that I am cold and utterly heartless that I can sit and write so calmly in reply to your fervent and appealing letter?

"Ah, Steven, it is what may be said of me; but, if cold and heartless to you, I have certainly given no man at this garrison the faintest reason to think that he [illegible] They are all kind, all very attentive. I have told you how well Mr. Royce dances, and Mr. Merton rides, and Mr. Foster reads and talks. They entertain me vastly, and I do like it. More than this, Steven, I am pleased with their evident admiration—not alone pleased and proud that they should admire me who am pledged to you—not that alone, I frankly confess, but because it in itself is pleasant. It pleases me. Very possibly it is because I am vain.

"And yet, though my hours are constantly occupied, though they are here from morning till night, no one of them is more attentive than another. There are five or six who come daily. There are some who do not come at all. Am I a wretch, Steven? There are two or three that do not call whom I wish would call. I would like to know them.

"Yet they know—they could not help it, with Kate here, and I never forget—that I am your promised wife. Steven, do you not sometimes forget the conditions of that promise? Even now, again and again, do I not repeat to you that you ought to release me and free yourself? Of course your impulse will be to say my heart is changing—that I have seen others whom I like better. No; I have seen no one I like as well. But is 'like' what you deserve, what you ask? And is it not all I have ever been able to promise you? Steven, bear me witness, for Kate is bitterly unjust to me at times, I told you again and again last summer and fall, that I did not love you and ought not to think of being your wife. Yet, poor, homeless, dependent as I am, how strong was the temptation to say yes to your plea!

"You know that I did not and would not until time and again your sweet mother, whom I do love, and Kate, who had been a mother to me, both declared that that should make no difference; the love would come; the happiest marriages the world over were those in which the girl respected the man of her choice; love would come, and come speedily, when once she was his wife. You yourself declared you could wait in patience—you would woo and win by and by. Only promise to be your wife before returning to the frontier and you would be content. Steven, are you content? You know you are not; you know you are unhappy; and it is all, not because I am growing to love some one else, but because I am not growing to love you. Heaven knows I want to love you; for so long as you hold me to it, my promise is sacred and shall be kept.

"More than that, if you say that it is your will that I seclude myself from these attentions, give up dancing, give up rides, drives, walks, and even receiving visits, here, so be it. I will obey; but write this to me, Steven—not to Kate. I am too proud to ask her to show me the letters I know she has received from you—and there are some she has not shown me—but I cannot understand a man's complaining to other persons of the conduct of the woman who is, or is to be, his wife. Forgive me if I pain you sometimes even to myself I seem old and strange. I have lived so much alone, have had to think and do for myself so many years while Kate has been away, that perhaps I'm not 'like other girls;' but the respect I feel for you would be injured if I thought you strove to guide or govern me through others; and of one thing to be sure, Steven, I must honor and respect and look up to the man I marry, love or no love.

"Once, you said it would kill you if you believed I could be false to you. If by that you meant that, having given my promise to you to be your wife at some future time, I must school myself to love you, and will be considered false if love do not come at my bidding or yours, I say to you solemnly, release me now. I may not love, but I cannot and will not deceive you, even by simulating love that does not exist. Suppose that love were to be kindled in my heart. Suppose I were to learn to care for some one here. You would be the first one to know it; for I would tell you as soon as I knew it myself. Then what could I hope for—or you? Surely you would not want to marry a girl who loved another man. But is it much better to marry one who feels that she does not love you?

"Think of it, Steven; I am very lonely, very far from happy; very wretched over Kate's evident trouble, and all the sorrow I am bringing you and yours; but have I misled or deceived you in any one thing? Once only has a word been spoken or a scene occurred that you could perhaps have objected to. I told you the whole thing in my letter of Sunday last, and why I had not told Kate. We have not met since that night, Mr. Hayne and I, and may not; but he is a man whose story excites my profound pity and sorrow, and he is one of the two or three I feel that I would like to see more of. Is this being false to you or to my promise? If so, Steven, you cannot say that I have not given you the whole truth.

"It is very late at night—1 o'clock—and Kate is not yet asleep, and the captain is still down stairs, reading. He is not looking well at all, and Kate is sorely anxious about him. It was his evidence that brought years of ostracism and misery upon Lieut. Hayne, and there are vague indications that in his own regiment the officers are beginning to believe that possibly he was not the guilty man. The cavalry officers, of course, say nothing to us on the subject, and I have never heard the full story. If he has been, as is suggested, the victim of a scoundrel, and Capt. Rayrer was at fault in his evidence, no punishment on earth could be too great for the villain who planned his ruin, and no remorse could atone for Capt. Rayner's share. I never saw so sad a face on mortal [illegible] as Mr. Hayne. Steven, Van Antwerp, I wish I were a man! I could trace that mystery to the bitter end.

"This is a strange letter to send to—to you; but I am a strange girl. Already I am more than expecting you to write and release me conditionally; and you ought to do it. I do not say I want it.

"Faithfully, at least, yours,

"NELLIE.

"P. S.—Should you write to Kate, you are not to tell her, remember, of my meeting with Mr. Hayne. Of course I am anxious to have your reply to that letter; but it will be five days [illegible]

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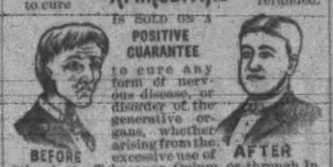

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"We started for India about 900 strong, and I believe that of the original 900 men who went out not more than 400 came home twelve years later.

"Where were the rest? Some had been invalided back before, but most of them were lying in Indian graveyards, the peaks above the Khyber marking the tombs of not a few."

"Then the climate of India is deadly?" said the reporter.

"Deadly, I should say it was. There are about 110,000 European troops quartered in India now, and each year about 5 per cent. of these die, or about 5,500. Peshawur and Meemen are the most deadly districts, for the cholera sweeps through them with terrible effect.

A DEADLY DISTRICT.

"Peshawur, as you know, is just near the entrance of Khyber Pass, and the 51st Regiment that was quartered there before us met with an awful experience in 1861. In one night one whole company, comprising 51 men died, and the entire regiment lost over 600. At Peshawur the graveyards, I suppose, are 30 or 40 yards in extent, and filled with the graves of British soldiers. The Khyber has been a deadly district for us. It was there the 41st regiment was annihilated, and it has been the scene of many a hard-fought battle. I suppose you know all about the disaster of 1842. In 1838 we declared war against Afghanistan and an army consisting of 16,000 fighting men, or 26,000 including women and children, marched through the Bolan pass to Candahar, and thence to Cabul. At first we were successful, but finally found it necessary to retreat. In January, 1842, the retreat commenced, and when the Khyber was reached the unfortunate soldiers, their wives and children were massacred in hundreds, simply by stones being thrown down on them. The walls in some places are 600 feet high and quite perpendicular, so that our men once they got in the pass were helpless. Out of 26,000 only one man escaped to tell of the disaster.

IT IS IMPREGNABLE.

Since we have fortified it no army in the world no matter how large could force it. There are but two roads into India from Central Asia. One is through the Khyber pass and the other through the Bolan pass. England holds both and I guess always will for they are very strong.

"The Khyber pass is in some places only 45 or 50 feet wide, and the walls rise perpendicular to a great height. It is almost 30 miles long, and rather rugged. Commanding the pass we have four forts the nearest being Jimrood which is less than three-fourths of a mile from the entrance. Guns are always kept bearing on it during peace or war, and if Russia ever gets as far as the Kyber that will end her march southward. By getting above you could destroy an army by simply rolling stones down on the men.

CHASTISING THE HILL TRIBES.

"I forgot to tell you that in 1874, when the 25th were ordered home, I got a transfer and took the post of Sergeant-Major in the 51st. While we were stationed at Peshawur — that's about 3½ miles from the Pass, Shere Ali, Ameer of Afghanistan, came down to see us with a large escort, the officers turned out and gave him their mess. After a few days though he died, and the story was circulated that we poisoned him. I think the truth was he overate himself. This raised a storm, and his escort left for home in high wrath. Incursions of the hill tribes followed, and the Afredia expedition took place, in which the 51st participated. All there was about it was that we went up among the hills and burned their villages. They're nasty people to deal with, you know. They wear straw shoes, and you can't hear them move at all. One night when we were encamped in their country, 300 or 400 swooped down on our camp. We didn't hear a sound until the guard was attacked and 50 of our men were slaughtered before we could turn out and drive them off.

"It wasn't long after this expedition that the Afghan war broke out. Yakoob Khan, under Russian influence, refused to receive a British embassy and war was declared.

BRINGING THEM TO TERMS.

"A force under General Roberts passed through the Khyber and marched on Cabul. The forts of the Afghans are mostly built of mud and we came on one of these at Alimusdge. Our force was less than 5000 strong, while that of the Afghans was over 40,000. Besides that, they were inside defences. After shelling the mud fort one morning before daylight a scaling party 300 strong got orders to plant ladders against the fortifications.

"We did it just as day broke, and as I was putting up a ladder a native leaned over and gave me the contents of his rifle. That settled my experience in India. I was invalided home and afterwards came out to Canada and here I am in Toronto to-day.

"The war as you know, however, ended by General Roberts decisively defeating the Afghans, and Yakoob Khan, who was too much under Russian influence, was driven off the Russian throne, and Abdurrahman Khan who was friendly to us, was placed upon the throne where he is still. But if you ever want good health keep away from the "Key to India."

A Georgia inventor has contrived an insect trap to rid the cotton and tobacco fields of moths. It consists simply of a lamp beneath which is a wide pan containing oil. The little creatures are attracted by the light, hit up against it and down they go into the oil and perish.

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MUNICIPAL.

A BY-LAW

Respecting the Municipal Assessment Roll for the year 1890.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1. The assessment roll of the said City for the year 1890 shall be returned by the assessor to the clerk of the Municipal Council on the 20th day of August, 1890.

2. Any and all persons complaining of his, her or their respective assessments on the said roll shall within one month after the time hereinbefore fixed for returning said roll notify in writing the clerk of the Municipal Council of his, her or their grounds of complaint.

3. All complaints of which due notice shall have been given shall be heard at the City Hall, Victoria, on the 22nd day of September, 1890, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, or so soon after as they can be heard.

This By-Law may be cited as the By-Law respecting the Municipal Assessment Roll for the year 1890.

Passed the Municipal Council the 25th day of June, 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 30th day of July, 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. jy31

A BY-LAW

Prohibiting the Sale or Intoxicating Liquors to Minors Under the Age or 20 Years.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE MAYOR AND Aldermen of the City of Victoria as follows:—

From and after the final passage of this By-Law no person or persons holding a license or licenses from the Corporation of the City of Victoria to sell liquors within the Corporate Limits of the said City of Victoria shall sell or cause to sell or otherwise dispose of or allow to be given or sold upon the premises in respect of which he is licensed any wine, spirits, ale, beer or other intoxicating liquor within the Corporate limits of the said City of Victoria to any person or persons under the age of twenty years, nor shall said person or persons so holding such license or licenses as aforesaid permit any person or persons under the age of twenty years to remain upon his premises so licensed, and shall eject any such person or persons under said age from said premises.

No person or persons so licensed as aforesaid shall permit any gambling, card playing or dice throwing by any person or persons, under said age upon any premises in respect of which he holds a license as aforesaid.

Any person violating any of the provisions of this By-Law shall upon conviction be punished by imprisonment for a term not exceeding one month or by paying a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars ($100.00).

This By-Law may be cited as "The By-Law Regulating the Sale of Liquor to Minors and for Other Purposes."

Passed the Municipal Council the 16th day of July, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 30th day of July, A. D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. jy31

A BY-LAW

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by the City Hall Addition By-Law, 1890.

WHEREAS on account of the increased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by the City Hall Addition By-Law 1890.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be 26-1000ths of one per cent and there shall be levied and collected in respect of the said By-law the said rate of 26-1000ths of one per cent in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as "The Reduction of the Special Rate Imposed by the City Hall Addition By-Law 1890, By-Law."

Passed the Municipal Council the 9th day of July, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 30th day of July, A. D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. jy31

A BY-LAW.

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by the Street Railway Guarantee By-Law, 1889.

WHEREAS ON ACCOUNT OF THE INcreased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria, it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by the Street Railway Guarantee By-Law, 1889.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be 21-1000ths of one per cent, and there shall be levied and collected in respect of the said By-Law the said rate of 21-1000ths of one per cent. in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the Reduction of the Special rate imposed by the Street Railway Guarantee By-Law, 1889, By-Law.

Passed the Municipal Council the 9th day of July, A. D., 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 30th day of July, A. D, 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. jy30

SIBERIAN ATROCITIES.

Noble-Hearted Women Endeavor to Mitigate Them.

A London dispatch of the 25th says: A number of philanthropic women, many of them members of the nobility and favorites in court circles, have inaugurated a petition to the Duchess of Edinburgh, the favorite sister of the present Czar, beseeching her to use her well known influence with her brother to the end that the horrors of Siberian life and the cruelties which are being practiced towards the political exiles may be mitigated. The petition has already received several thousand signatures and will not be presented until one hundred thousand women have attached their names to it. Information comes to-day from St. Petersburg that the censors of the postal department have issued an ukase prohibiting the entrance of the last number of the Fortnightly Review which contains Mr. Swinbourne's ode to Russia. In the first few copies of the periodical which were allowed to pass into the country, several passages of this ode were erased, but it would now appear that the censors have arrived at the conclusion that the whole production is inflammatory matter of the worst description, and the entrance of the periodical is fraught with danger. One of the lines effaced read as follows: Night hath but one red star "Tyrannicide."

Another contains the unpleasant suggestion:

Down the way of Czars, awhile in vain deferred,
Bid the Second Alexander light like Third.

But the most denunciatory verse, and the one which was completely blotted out by the censors brush, reads as follows:

Maidens dead beneath the clasping lash, and wives
Bent with deadlier pangs than death—for shame survives,
Naked, mad, starved, scourged, spurned, frozen, fallen, deflowered,
Souls and bodies as by fangs of beast devoured,
Sounds that hell would hear not, sights no thoughts could shape,
Limbs that feel as flame the ravenous clasp of rape,
Filth of raging crime and shame that crime enjoys,
Age made one with youth in torture, girls with boys,
These and worse, if aught be worse than these things are,
Prove the regent Russia—praise thy mercy Czar.

Sir Donald Smith, who returned from England on Monday last, says Canadian affairs are being discussed more and more, and Canada is becoming more and more the centre of attraction amongst all classes on the other side of the water. He states that Sanford Fleming's scheme for a cable from Vancouver to Australia is coming gradually to the front, and he believes that the time is not far distant when the Imperial parliament, following in the wake of the Dominion, will give practical evidence of their interest in the great scheme. The "Empress of India," one of the ships now building for the Canadian Pacific, will be launched on Saturday next, and Sir Donald says she will be all ready to sail for Vancouver by the first of November.

A Warning.

MR. EDITOR,—It is a well-known fact that the majority of people are inclined to look upon a cold in the head as a matter of little importance—involving at the most only a temporary inconvenience. No more disastrous mistake was ever made. The neglected cold in the head is the source of the catarrhal affections with which about seven-tenths of the people of this country are afflicted, and catarrh itself is too often the preliminary stages to consumption and death. The symptoms of catarrh are manifold, but among them may be mentioned, offensive breath; dull, oppressive headache; offensive droppings from the nostrils into the throat and bronchial tubes; deafness or partial deafness; constant hawking and spitting; weak and watery eyes; a hacking cough and feeling of general debility; ringing in the ears and frequent dizziness. These are but a few of the more general symptoms; and those who experience them should lose no time in applying a remedy. Delays are proverbially dangerous, and in the case of this too prevalent disease may lead to death. We offer Nasal Balm to the public as a positive cure for cold in the head and for catarrh in all its forms and stages. Nasal Balm has been tested in thousands of cases, and the testimonials in our possession prove that it is all we claim for it. It has cured other sufferers, it will cure you. It is easy to use, pleasant and agreeable and does not require a douche, or any torturing instrument to apply it. Give it a trial and be convinced of its great efficacy. Sold by all dealers or sent post free on receipt of price 50c. for small or $1 for large size bottles by addressing Fulford & Co., Brockville, Ont. daw

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WHO WILL PAY THE PIPER.

Mr. D. GORDON, M. P., is an inquisitive gentleman, who for some occult reason tries to get at the bottom of every question that concerns his constituents. At present he is trying to discover who is responsible for the expenses of C Battery, and although he has not succeeded as yet in learning exactly where the liability rests, he has ascertained that neither the Dominion or Provincial Governments will foot the bill. The following messages have been exchanged:

Nanaimo, Aug. 23rd, 1890.
Sir A. P. Caron, Minister of Militia, Ottawa, Ont.

Provincial Government disclaim any responsibility for sending C Battery and Militia to Wellington. I emphatically protest against Dominion Government paying one cent either for transportation or maintenance of force from Fourth of August to date of their return to Victoria. D. W. GORDON.

St. Patrick's, Que., Aug. 25th, 1890.
D. W. Gordon, Nanaimo, B. C.

Telegram received, we shall not pay for maintenance of troops, as the parties who called them out are responsible. A. P. CARON.

If the Minister of Militia is correct in his interpretation of the law, "the parties who called out" the troops will have to pay a pretty sum. We supposed that the charge was one that must be borne by the civil power, and that the money would be taken from the sum voted for the administration of justice by the local legislature. But this, the regular course, is not to be followed in this instance. The question now for Mr. GORDON to solve, if he cares to prosecute his investigation further, is, "who called the militia out?" The magistrates were the instruments, but they did not work of their own volition? There was some power behind them who convinced them that armed soldiery were needed to assist the civil power to prevent rioting and possibly bloodshed. We have been assured on their "honor" that that power was not "the center of law and order"—which in other Provinces is the work of the Government. Then, in the name of the law that has been outraged, who was it, Mr. GORDON.

MR. WILKIE'S ADDRESS.

Not a little scepticism prevails in what is rated well-informed quarters, as to the efficacy of Christian endeavor in India. Christian missions for the regeneration of the benighted East Indians, have been rated as veritable Borrioboola Ghas, and people of means, naturally benevolent, have withheld assistance which but for this unfortunate conception of affairs would have been gladly given. Two causes seem to have operated to prevent the universal dissemination of the Gospel in India. First, official hostility, the resultant of what was thought the political inexpediency of the thing; and secondly, the lack of representation of the objects sought to be obtained by the churches interested in foreign missions. Very many people have declined to assist foreign missions, or at the best only nominally contributed thereto, upon the supposition that mere proselytizing was the fundamental object of the various religious denominations. They esteemed secular teaching a loss of time and money, and in the end resulting in a hopeless confusion of ideas with converts so soon as the light of Western civilization should fairly break upon them. But of the causes mentioned as contributing to the slow progress of missionary labor in foreign parts, barring that of officialism, we have an incidental cause, that of the widespread and not unreasonable belief that charity begins at home—that here right in our midst the utmost that benevolence can provide spiritually and financially may be profitably expended. To this last clause, as a controlling reason for lukewarm support of foreign missions, we confess we have hitherto regarded as having been partial hearers. We have listened to Mr. WILKIE's presentation of the case of the Christians in India, the aims of the missionaries, the material as well as spiritual results their efforts are likely to produce, we have no hesitation in saying that a broader view might well be taken; that mission work is pre-eminently a variety of enterprise which governments should encourage and assist, might, indeed, adopt as a specific feature of policy toward vassal nations. The Christianization of India means unification, unification means homogenity, and from that a polity of [illegible] would evolve [illegible] surate with the high moral, mental and industrial state which seems to be or ought to be the destiny of all peoples. According to Mr. WILKIE the social condition of India is something fearful to contemplate. Progress has been made in the last ten years, the spirit of reform is abroad, the prejudice of caste no longer obtains with the intenseness that once characterized it. The masses of the people, however, are still deplorably ignorant, and customs still prevail which have but one tendency—unqualified degeneracy. The people it appears are seeking a higher plane of civilization, they have a vague idea that in the civilization of the Westerns there is a promise of material benefits, but they are too poor to help themselves, and the Missions for similar reasons must confine the field of their operations to a very limited area. The case as put by Mr. WILKIE makes the regeneration of India something more than a question for churches exclusively to deal with. Besides being a moral and social question, it is a political question. The politicians seem to fear that ignorance dethroned in India she would at once seek to throw off the British yoke. Such is not an unlikely contingency, although on the other hand the diffusion of knowledge might tend to soften the asperities ineritable of conquest and vassalage. But aside from the possible contingency of the independence of India, which it may be presumed would be preferable to her falling under the Russian yoke, what is manifestly the course a Christian nation should pursue toward over 260,000,000 people steeped in ignorance, superstition and misery? Can England, consistent with her pretensions as a Christian nation, longer treat India as a preserve for impecunious adventurers? NAST has a cartoon in the Illustrated American, representing the ten commandments toppling over from the effects of the kicks of the Golden Calf. The moral is obvious. Gross materialism has the upper hand. The doctrine of the universal brotherhood of man has given place to the universal scramble for gold. Millions are ground in pieces that thousands may roll in wealth, and this principle holds sway among the most enlightened people on earth. Language fails to do the subject justice. We can only say that if one half of what we hear of the condition of the masses in India is true the missionary field should derive specific aid from the Government.

A BOYCOTT AND COUNTER BOYCOTT.

A novelty in the boycotting line is reported from New York. A number of brick-making firms at Verplanck's Point were notified by certain "walking delegates" of the professional labor agitator class, that they must hire none but union hands. The brickmakers replied by a detailed statement, showing that out of over 2000 men in their employ there were only about 100 union men, with none others applying for employment, and they declined to discharge the 1900 with whom they were satisfied and who were satisfied with them.

Then came an order from the walking delegates to the New York, Brooklyn and Jersey City dealers in building materials commanding them to cease dealing with the Verplanck Point brickmakers. With this order the dealers in building materials promptly and meekly complied. But there came unexpected and unprecedented action from another quarter. All of the other brick-making firms within a circuit of many miles united in making common cause with the concerns at the Point. They joined in a common notice to the dealers in building materials that until they should reconsider their action against the Point firms, not a brick will they supply to said dealers. This, in the prime of the building season is a serious thing not only for the brickmakers and dealers, but also for the public at large. The outcome cannot but be awaited with lively interest.—Intelligencer.

The inference we have here is, that labor is exacting, unreasonable and tyrannical. It looks like it too we must confess. Shall we presume, however, that the "walking delegates" felt that they could accept without a grain of salt the assurance of the brickmakers that no union men were applying for work. The cartoonists usually pictures the "walking delegate" as a low-browed, heavy-jawed individual, overdressed, and sporting a huge watch chain. This representation is, of course, a libel. The leading spirits of labor combines as in the case of the directors of syndicates, are selected for their intelligence and their executive ability. We may not suppose, therefore, that the "walking delegates" in question represent "vaulting ambition o'er leaping itself." They either suspect the brickmakers of telling a deliberate untruth, or they have applied the screws to the dealers in building material for the purpose of forcing the 1900 non-union men into the combination which they represent. However that may be, things have become fearfully mixed, and as the Intelligencer says, "the outcome cannot but be awaited with lively interest."

SHOULD BE CONSISTENT.

There is a law in the State of Washington forbidding the publication of a challenge of one prize fighter to another. Who conceived of the law we haven't the slightest idea, but like all surface applications to sores which lay deep in the social fabric of a community, it has not the virtue of being even an emollient. The Post-Intelligencer has defied this law. It published a challenge issuing from MIKE LUCIE to GEO. LA BLANCHE, and the Telegram, [illegible] calls aloud on Heaven and earth and Sheriff McGRAW and Mayor WHITE in particular to vindicate the majesty of the broken statute. Now we do not wish to be understood as friendly to pugilism, but we cannot help remarking that as the Telegram is the exponent of Democracy, and that as in all probability MIKE LUCIE and GEO. LA BLANCHE and their backers are Democrats, it should be careful of its implied strictures on the habits of its political affiliates, unless, of course, it has enough Republican subscribers to keep it going.

SCORE ONE FOR SENATOR HOAR.

SENATOR HOAR, the chairman of the committee on Canada, was accused a few days ago by a Pittsburg paper of being enormously rich, of being a persistent seeker of office and preferment and of living at Washington on the fat of the land. In reply he says that his assured income, outside of his sessional allowance, is $1,800, and that beyond this his worldly possessions consists of a fine library, of his house at Worcester, and of two or three vacant lots worth less than $5,000 He refused for long to enter Congress, but was put in for nomination while absent in Europe. He has now been a Representative and a Senator for twenty years, "getting a little poorer year by year." "My wife and I," he says, "experience all the varrying fortunes of Washington boarding houses; sometimes we are very comfortable, but for a good deal of the time we live in a fashion to which no Pittsburg mechanic earning $2 a day would subject his household." "Your terrapin part of the story," he adds, "is all in my eye, very little in my mouth. The chief carnal luxury of my life is in breakfasting every Sunday morning with a friend who has a rare gift for making fish-balls and coffee. You unfortunate and benighted Pennsylvanians can never know the exquisite flavor of the codfish, salted, made into balls and eaten on Sunday morning in the company of a person whose theology is sound." Mr. HOAR himself is a Unitarian. "Be assured," he continues, "that in that hour when the week begins all the terrapin of Philadelphia or Baltimore, and all the soft-shelled crabs of the Atlantic shore, might pull at my trousers' legs and thrust themselves on my notice in vain." There are rich men who have gone into politics in the States, but nowadays, at any rate, it is a rare thing to find men who have become rich through politics.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

A newspaper that can justify the interference of outside justices of the peace in the civil affairs of a district containing several stipendiary magistrates and a dozen ordinary justices, and, in the same breath heaps virulent abuse upon a "Wellington striker" for soliciting signatures to a requisition calling for a public meeting at New Westminster, has reached a degree of inconsistency that few journalists care to descend to. The Truth is horrified. One of the striking miners carried the petition around New Westminster for signatures, and Mr. FOSTER, M.P.P. for Nanaimo district, was put upon the New Westminster platform to relate the grievances of the miners! All this, in the virtuous eyes of Truth, is too utterly horrible for anything! It damned the cause of the strikers, for it showed to the unsympathetic soul of Truth that the suffering miners were not superhuman. Poor fallible mortals, they little thought that in the Royal City there would be found a scribe of the Pharisees to hold them up to public ridicule and contempt.

The Colonist accused Mr. FOSTER, M. P. P., of misrepresentation because he stated in his address at Philharmonic Hall that there were over twenty magistrates in Nanaimo district who could have been appealed to to sign the requisition for troops. The Colonist said there were not more than the one half of twenty magistrates in that district. Now comes the Nanaimo Free Press which gives the names of sixteen justices of the peace, and that paper at the same time asks the "organ" to follow the scriptural injunction to pull the beam out of its own eye before plucking the moat from Mr. Forster's. What struck us as curious about the Colonist's statement was that a journal should make use of the argument that, as there were only ten magistrates at Nanaimo, it was necessary to come to Victoria in search of three to do work that the law contemplates should be done by three of the other ten admittedly competent men at Nanaimo. The misrepresentation of the Colonist of the real number is an insignificant matter. The object or effect of the misrepresentation is far more serious.

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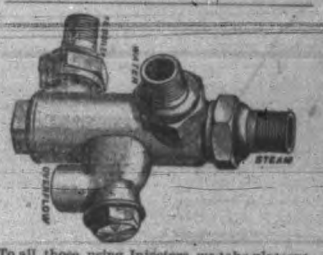

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Globe insists that no appeal to electors should be made by the Dominion Government until after the next census has been taken, and a redistribution of seats has been made. In the language of that journal, "It would be a violation of the spirit of the constitution for Lord Stanley to dissolve Parliament on the advice of his ministers before the census has been taken and additional representation provided in accordance therewith. This view is eminently sensible and its expression timely. Has the Gazette been drinking of the spring of Liberalism?

DR. BURTSELL.

TO THE EDITOR:—The Rev. Richard Burtsell has been suspended from his functions for utterances reciprocative of the economic heresies of Dr. McGlynn. Departures such as this from ecclesiastical dictum seem to argue that a schism is imminent which will send Catholicism to pieces. The question of bread has become paramount, and the church dealing with that question that has no bread to offer had as well shut up shop. The corporeal as well as the spiritual being must subsist. The spiritual which offers no amelioration for hard corporeal conditions must fall into contempt. The coldness of protestant denominations has enstranged thousands. It is estimated that there are 15,000,000 of persons in the United States who if not actual unbelievers recognize no church. To what shall we attribute the cause of this. The agnostic literature of the age is responsible, doubtless, for a large proportion of the indifference to religious matters which the census has revealed, but the bottom cause, we conceive, lies in the inability of religion, as it is taught, to relieve the tremendous mental and physical strain incident to bread winning. And if Protestantism has suffered because of its unsympathetic relations with the paramount question of the day, because of its antagonism to reforms which threaten the extinction of plutocracy, may we not safely assume that the church, which, especially in the U. S. is almost wholly represented by workingmen, will be rent in twain that refuses to adapt itself to the trend of opinion of its vast congregation? The excommunication of Dr. McGlynn together with the suspension of the Rev. Burtsell are but symptoms, but they nevertheless indicate disease, not local but deep seated. Are such astringents as "excommunication" and "suspension" fitting remedies? May we suppose that the outward application of ecclesiastical censure will effect a cure? It never yet had the desired effect. Dr. McGlynn stands to-day in the estimation of nineteen-twentieths of workingmen irrespective of their religious bias, a martyr to his humanity. Fulminations may emanate from Rome against him. The church may consign him to everlasting torment, but he stands to-day as high in the estimation of the world as he ever did.

We are not to suppose, however, that the Catholic church will commit the grave blunder of running counter to the demand for social reform. If blunders are the equivalent of crimes we should have a crime in this which could scarcely be expiated. It will never do for any church to set up to controvert the parable that "it is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle," etc., even though it is shown that the needle's eye in question was one of the gates of Jerusalem. Some of these days we fancy there will be another Rescript issued.

CHURCH UNIVERSAL.

THE DOUGLAS STREET "WHAT IS IT?"

TO THE EDITOR:—At the last meeting of the city council a communication was read from a Douglas street caterer to the tastes of sweet-fanciers, calling attention to an object that had lately been seen near the corner of Pandora avenue and this street. The sudden appearance of this tentative candy manufactory on one of the leading business thoroughfares of the city has not been viewed with unqualified approbation by the author of the communication referred to. Inasmuch as the erection to which objection is made is located on private property, the council after carefully considering into what category to place the complaint, committed it into the hands of the fire wardens with power to act.

It was thought that some provision of the Building By-law might be brought to bear upon this case. The question then arose as to the classification of the object before mentioned, that the by-law might apply. The "Buildings By-law," it seems, however, only relates to buildings as such. But what is this affair? Is it a building, edifice or structure? If any, or all, or none, are its walls, anyway, of brick, iron, wood or stone? And does its presence in the locality invite, or will it assist the devouring flames? Opinion being variable sometimes, is divided. According to the by-law it is neither, which or what, and there is no intermediate position. The query then arises, what is it?

As to its origin, deponent sayeth naught. Whether it came from some Sunday school picnic, traveled with Barnum's circus or sheltered some semi-barbarian in the South Sea Islands. Were the beauty it once possessed but now faded by exposure from the sun, restored, and the dust the gentle breeze has wafted upon it from the street removed, it might be inferred that it had seen the land of the stars and stripes. However, now that it is here, what to do about it is more interesting than whence it came.

If the institution interfered with trade and commerce to any appreciable degree, appreciable beyond its immediate neighborhood, the services of the British North American Act might be called into requisition. But this is difficult to prove. Besides "taffy" is not unpopular. Hence the B. C. N. A. Act is helpless. Then, therefore, it becomes evident that the dispensary of this toothsome article, here spoken of is nondescript as to the by-law and not specially considered in the B.N.A. Act, the case is perplexing indeed.

As a remedy for the malady some one has suggested that the services of the sanitary officer be brought into play to root the evil out. It is thought that the energy and bravery displayed by that officer in former trying instances will not prove ineffectual in this. But Officer Bailey is disarmed of his potent legal weapon in this case. So it seems better that the matter be tested on these grounds to go before the grand jury at once, as the final court of decision and execution. Albeit this legally unconditioned entity, as to its architectural side, is now in the hands of the fire department, who have been clothed with authority to act, and there is every reason to suppose they will exercise that authority in a proper way, and reduce the problem not taken into account in the by-law nor in the B.N.A. Act to a still much more unknown quantity.

We think, however, that about the time that the copious autumn showers begin to fall, and the northern blast chants a requiem on the harpstrings of the trees, and the legal armament has been prepared for its annihilation, the owner of the camp will be observed to

"Fold up his tent like the Arab,
And silently steal away."

LONGFELLOW.

HUNTING WITH DOGS.

TO THE EDITOR:—In the TIMES of last night there appeared an item under the heading "Running Deer," and whoever the writer may be I don't think he knows much about hunting deer with dogs. Of course as to its being illegal I won't say, but for anyone to say that running dogs is the most likely way to extinguish the game cannot be very familiar with the mountains around Victoria. Dogs have been run here for the last twenty years or more, and there seems to be as many deer as ever, only they are bound to get less in number and get further away owing to settlement. The law seems to have been made in the interest of a few against the many, and where it may end no one can tell, but I hope our legislator's won't allow our liberty to be taken away altogether. When there were no restrictions as there is now, except the close seasons, there was always plenty of game and the hunters of Victoria were the ones who respected it most. The first thing we know it will be unlawful for anyone to carry a gun, unless he be a lord or something else of that sort. Hoping you will give this space in your valuable paper, as it is only the yelp of a DEER HOUND.

ALASKA NEWS.

Indians Must Not Kill Seals—The Pinta Appears—Mining Notes.

From the Alaska Free Press.

The U. S. Senate has refused to allow the Indians of Alaska to kill seals for food.

Capt. Wallace, on the Topeka, is now a Silver Bow Basin mine owner, having made some purchases recently from Richard Driver.

The U. S. S. Pinta arrived in this port on Wednesday last, and thus it is that we feel like being a little sassy to Johnny Bull.

The arrival of Willis Thorp on the Elder with a fine lot of beef cattle gives us an agreeable change of diet again, from that of fish straight to fresh beef.

This week the Silver Queen turned out a shipment of the richest ore she has yet produced, and the present indications are that the great, grand-children of the present owners will work the mine in the next century to come.

The powder boat arrived on Tuesday last, and in a very short time afterwards the hills were ringing with the report of blasts. Work has again been resumed on the various mines that had to be shut down on account of the lack of blasting material.

Two recent arrivals from Cook's Inlet, who went there on a prospecting tour say that the famous Bogoslov volcano is not the only one that is rampant in Alaska. Near Cook's Inlet are located the two volcanoes of Hilma and Fugnas. One of the arrivals stated that they had both been very active. On one occasion a heavy discharge of ashes was followed by several earthquakes, which terrorized the neighboring inhabitants.

Silver Bow Basin is bound to come to the front next season as a gold producer, both from her placers and quartz mines. The Silver Bow Basin Mining Co. will then have completed their tunnel and will commence washing, and will have a stamp mill on the ground also; the E. A. M. Co. through work accomplished this summer will then be fairly under way, and other smaller mills will contribute to this output.

A GREAT YIELD.

The Hop Crop of Washington Estimated at 45,000 Bales.

The Port Townsend Call says: The hops of Washington are three-quarters grown, and three weeks from date will see the opening of the picking season. The outlook for the year for Washington hops is indeed brilliant, and a bonanza surpassing that of two years ago is assured the growers.

The state will cast upon the poorly stocked market of the world 45,000 bales of the finest hops ever raised in the United States. Regarding the quality of this year's hops there can be no question. The splendid cluster of bright golden color which adorn the vines give evidence of wealth of impuline and seeds. The hops of this state are pronounced and are generally conceded to be the best raised in the United States, and this year's crop surpasses in quality that of any year past.

No scarcity of pickers is anticipated. Many growers have already contracted for their help and have reviewed the situation. They claim that help will be plentiful, and whites and Indians will do the work as they did last year, and in case there is a shortage Chinamen will be brought in to make up the deficiency. This action will not be carried out unless it is absolutely necessary. Last year $1 per box was paid pickers, and that is the rate at which many of the season's contracts have been made, but as this season opens with a higher market, labor may demand higher pay. Pickers will begin reporting for duty in about two weeks.

The Oregon growth this year will reach 15,000 bales. The situation there is practically the same as here. They also have the louse there, but no fears are entertained as to its effect this year.

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A telegram received at the Interior Department, Ottawa, says that Lieut.-Col. Sproat, ex-M.P. for Bruce, and registrar at Prince Albert since December, 1889, died on the 20th inst.

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THE CHARLESTON.

The American Cruiser the Lion of the Hour in Seattle.

The Post-Intelligencer says that between three and four thousand people visited the cruiser Charleston on Monday, and as many on Sunday. At times the ship was packed with visitors from deck to hold and stem to stern, till she [illegible] mass of men, women and children. The officers of the Charleston were banquetted by the Chamber of Commerce on Monday night. The only warlike speech was made by Admiral Brown, who stated that he had received an invitation from Victoria to attend a reception to Admiral Hotham and officers of the fleet now at Esquimalt.

The Charleston is one of the finest vessels in the American navy, being ranked only by the flagship Chicago of the Atlantic squadron. The Charleston carries a crew of 361 men, all told. It is divided as follows: Thirty-five officers, 296 seamen and 30 marines. The crew is so arranged that all the guns can be manned and 200 men sent ashore to fight. The ship is schooner-rigged, but carries no sails. At the top of her two hollow masts are platforms containing rapid-firing Hotchkiss guns. On the main deck are ten six-inch breech-loading rifles, four six-pound rapid-firing rifles, two three-pound rapid-firing rifles, two one-pount rapid-firing rifles and two Gatling guns. Two at each end are placed so as to sweep through a large field.

On the forward deck there are two wheel-houses—one for ordinary use and the other in case of emergency.

On the gun deck are five electric search lights of 25,000 candle power each, and electric lights are distributed throughout the ship at convenient points. The deck also contains an armory filled with Colts' revolvers, cutlasses and magazine rifles. On the berth deck, the one below the main deck, is the hospital in the bow, and near that a completely-stocked dispensary in charge of a druggist. Back of this is the quarters of the common sailors, and near them the cooking galleys. The middle of this deck is devoted to the officers. On one side is the officers' mess-room, on the other side are the rows of state-rooms. In the rear of these are the reception rooms of the admiral and captain, and back of them their sleeping apartments, each supplied with a bath. The stern contains the library presented to the ship by the citizens of San Francisco.

In the passage way between the admiral's and the captain's rooms stands a big silver punch bowl, about two feet in diameter, presented to the ship by the city of Charleston in recognition of the honor done their city in the choice of a name. It is one of the most artistic pieces of work ever brought to this country.

The next deck below is the torpedo deck united to the torpedoes and torpedo guns. Under this is the protection deck of steel plates from two to four inches thick. This deck is below the water line and rises in the middle, covering completely all the engines, the machinery and the magazines. The deck is so arranged that during an action every opening in it can be closed, and no matter how mutilated the upper part of the vessel may be the machinery can still be worked.

In the course of an interview Admiral Brown said that he had been directed to look into the matter of a proposed navy yard and dry dock somewhere along the Pacific coast north of the upper line of California. Congress has appropriated $15,000 for the expenses of a commission which is to be composed of naval officers, engineers and civilians, who shall inspect the coast, including the waters of Puget Sound and Lake Washington. They shall select a place which, everything considered, is the fittest for a naval station and dry dock; of course a number of things enter into the consideration, the water, tides, lay of land, accessibility to the ocean, and all implied under that broad heading, strategic situation, nearness of supplies of all kinds, from those for men to those for building and equipping ships.

Orders were expected by Admiral Brown to-day or to-morrow.

DIDN'T TURN OUT WELL.

F. J. Richards, the Boot-Black, Finds that Marriage is a Failure.

About four or five months ago a young man named F. J. Richards, who kept a boot-black stand in this city, married a widow lady, and all was serene and lovely for a time. Richards was a hard-working and steady fellow, and made good wages, his agreeable manner to customers gaining him friends, and although his occupation was not one that could be called aristocratic, he was doing well.

Dissensions arose, however, in the Richards family and a short time after the wedding the groom's pleasant face often looked worried. In a few weeks the stand that knew him was vacant, and it was reported that the family had gone to Tacoma. An item in the Tacoma Ledger says that Mrs. F. J. Richards has had her husband arrested there on a charge of stealing her trunk. The police held him at the city prison while the angry wife applied to Justice Patrick for a warrant. Justice Patrick refused to issue a warrant, and Mr. Richards was released. According to the husband's story Mrs. Richards is far from being an amiable and loving wife. He says he is her third husband, and that both her former husbands are living, the first one being in an insane asylum and the other an hotel keeper in California. She has two children, the fruit of her first marriage. Richards says he was earning about $23 per week when he married the woman. He now claims that she has been not only untrue to him, but has ruined his business.

NO NEED FOR SCARE.

The Charleston Ordered to Honolulu Instead of Behring Sea.

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—The Herald's Washington correspondent telegraphs that both the secretary and acting secretary positively stated last night that there is no intention of sending the Charleston north to co-operate with the Corwin. After coaling at Seattle, the secretary says, she will go to San Francisco and then probably proceed without much delay to the Hawaiian Islands where, according to Rear Admiral Brown, the presence of the Charleston seems to be needed. There is little doubt but that the original purpose of sending the Charleston to the Pacific slope was in connection with the Behring sea troubles. This became apparent from the fact that orders for her return were issued just at the time Lord Salisbury's warning that the United States would be held responsible for any seizures of British sealing vessels, and from further probabilities that Rear Admiral Brown would not have left the turbient scenes in Honolulu unless his new orders showed there were urgent and important reasons for his presence elsewhere, and as no [illegible] nothing has transpired on the Pacific coast to warrant her immediate presence there. That she is not going north now is probably because there have been further development between the two countries on the Behring sea matter, of which the public has not yet learned that makes such a course unnecessary.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str City of Kingston from the Sound—P Wilson, C K Carey, Dr White, Miss Wead, Mrs P A Dey and daughter, A Huston, W J Pendray, Jas Hunter, J Keen, J E Winslow, J Nellayer, T R Moore and wife, W H Doolittle, J E Smith, D P Ballard, H Blanken, G Ramsey, Mrs Steinor, E Huntington, N P Snowden, J Lascelles, Miss Shelack, J Henderson, brother and sister, Miss Drant, H Miller, G Whittaker, Mrs Marsha'l, W P Cunningham, W Swenkert, Mrs Gove, Mrs Fave, Jas Scable, and wife, R Abbott, H W Hamadn, A Haines, J Lancaster.

Per Steamer Olympian from the Sound—F A Harbersham, G Bronaugh, J V Cheney, Mrs E B Cosmer, Miss Early, Miss Moore, A L Stibbens and wife, J A Murray, J Fox, B Schwartz and wife, J Parry, Mrs Maguire and two children, D O'Leary, P G Vaughn, wife and sister, Edward Irwin, J W Carey, Mrs McGuane, E R Varcoe, A G Belvis and wife, J W Doxie, Rev Francis Murray, Rev Frederick Murray, J Desills, J M Langley, G Barr, W B Chapin, G G Barnett and wife, Mrs Griffin, H C Ellis, A Harris, W Shellaber, J Atkinson, C F Atkinson, B Anderson and wife, T Haley, P H Donovan, R Robertson and wife, J Williams, W P Shannon and wife, F W Harris.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—G Brown, R S Wells, Miss Elliott, J H Todd, C P Lowe, P W Patterson, John Ruperts, W Whyte, Mrs J H Todd, Jas Sinclair, Mrs Capt O'Brien, T E Parlin, J P Ford, W J Smith, Dr Lynch, Miss Whyte, Mrs G Keefer, D A Ross, J W McFarland, J M Rowell, C H Wilson, Mrs Thomas, Mr. Yule[1], Miss Whyte.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Steamer Olympian from the Sound.—J & A Clearihue.

Per Str City of Kingston from the Sound—H Y & Co, Hudson Bay Co, G E Mc, C & F, F R, T B & Co, E F, W McC, H H, Coll Inland Revenue, G H Maynard, N W Woollen Mfg Co D H Ross & Co, Fell & Co, W J Gage & Co, S Leiser, Marvin & T, J Sehl, A Westhoven, Vic & Esq T Co, Jones & Co, Valo & Brooks, A McGregor & Co, J Weller, McQuade & Son, M R Smith & Co.

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" Comox for Nanaimo.....Friday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria.....Saturday, 7 a.m.

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TIME TABLE No. 13,

Taking effect July 17, 1890.

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New Westminster Route.

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island, Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 1 going East Monday.)

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For Plumper Pass Saturday at 7 o'clock.

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COING SOUTH. READ UP.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Sat., Sun., Mon.	No. 5 Passenger Saturdays only.	STATIONS.	COING NORTH. READ DOWN.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Sat., Sun., Mon.	No. 6 Passenger Saturdays only.
	Ar.	Ar.	P.M. Ar.			A.M. Dep.	P.M. Dep.	P.M. Dep.
	12:20 P.M.	8:40 P.M.	7:30	VICTORIA		8:00	3:00	10:15
	12:30	8:30	7:15	RUSSELLS		8:44	3:19	10:30
	12:40	8:20		ESQUIMALT		8:54	3:29	
	12:45	8:15		GOLLYSTREAM		8:57	3:32	
	1:14 A.M.	7:46		SHAWNIGAN LAKE		9:32	4:07	
	1:50	7:00		COBBLE HILL		10:05	4:40	
	2:07	6:43		McPHERSON'S		10:22	4:57	
	2:17	6:31		KOKSILAH		10:32	5:07	
	2:28	6:19		DUNCANS		10:43	5:18	
	2:37	6:04		SOMENOS		10:52	5:27	
	2:50	4:50		CHEMAINUS		11:05	6:40	
	Dep.	Dep.	Dep.	NANAIMO		Arr.	Arr.	Arr.
	3:15	4:15		WELLINGTON		11:30	7:05	12:14 P.M.
	Dep.	Dep.	Dep.			Arr.	Arr.	Arr.

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Leave Port Townsend	1:30 p.m.
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Leave Victoria	10:00 a.m.
Leave Port Townsend	10:00 a.m.
Leave Seattle	2:15 p.m.
Arrive Tacoma	11:15 p.m.

Tacoma-Seattle Route.

Leave Tacoma ... 10:00 a.m., 12:00 m., *7:45 p.m.
Leave Seattle ... *7:30 a.m., *2:00 p.m., *4:30 p.m.

Boats leaving Tacoma 12:00 p.m., and Seattle at 3:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. land at Des Moines.

Seattle-Olympia Route.

Leave Seattle...*4:30 p.m.	Leave Olympia. *7:00 a.m.
Leave Tacoma... 7:00 p.m.	Lv. Steilacoom.. 8:00 a.m.
Lv. Steilacoom.. 9:00 p.m.	Leave Tacoma.. 10:00 a.m.
Ar. Olympia...*11:00 p.m.	Arrive Seattle..*12:30 p.m.

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The Daily Times.

CITY AND PROVINCIAL.

WHERE ARE THE HENS?

Large Number of Eggs Being Imported from the United States.

A glance over the manifests of the different steamers that arrive here daily would bring one to the conclusion that Victorians are fond of eggs but that the people fail to raise chickens. [illegible] The bakme which arrived on Monday brought 150 cases, the Olympian brought 75 cases last evening and the Kingston and Walla Walla 10 each. Thus 235 cases of eggs have arrived and been distributed in Victoria since Monday. Of course a great many are shipped to the other cities, but it seems a little curious that a country like this cannot keep herself supplied with eggs. If the cities can use this large amount of eggs, for it is not only once that they arrive, one would naturally come to the conclusion that a couple of good chicken ranches handled by men who understand their business would prove a fortune. Chickens are not very expensive, and as for feed it amounts to almost nil since the rice mills have been running, and it will be still cheaper when the flouring mill starts.

CANNOT STAND THE DUTY.

Victoria's Pork Butchers Forced to Shut Down.

About a month ago Mr. Julius Barron, an old established pork butcher, was forced to close down his business although no reason was assigned for the action. The matter was not thought of until Mr. W. W. Evans, who a few years ago bought Jos. Heywood's business on Yates street, also signified his intention of shutting down. This had the effect of making a TIMES reporter investigate the matter and he accordingly called on Mr. Barron who could only say that he had closed on account of the high tariff and that to continue business only meant throwing away money. He said it was impossible to make a profit while the present rate of duty was in force. Mr. Evans, who was engaged in packing his machinery, etc., said he was forced to close on the same account as Mr. Barron and also because the customs authorities were talking of putting the quarantine law in force in this province. The latter law, which has been in force since 1887 all through Eastern Canada, contains a clause which states that all hogs imported into Canada must be quarantined for 21 days before delivery to their owners. This clause was suspended for this province, but since hog cholera has been prevalent on the other side the authorities have been talking of enforcing the law here as well as elsewhere.

The cholera spoken of may be in a hog's system for some time before breaking out, and the 21 days quarantine gives it time to show itself if the hog is infected. Dr. Blanchard, the customs veterinary surgeon in this city, states that he is bound to be very careful, as the hogs may have only the very slightest symptoms which are sufficient to scatter the disease all over the country.

UNIVERSITY CONVOCATION.

Proceedings at the Afternoon Meeting—Resolutions Adopted.

When the convocation re-assembled at 3 p.m., Bishop Sillitoe, who presided, suggested the advisability of allowing the use of proxies or ballots as was the practice in the English Universities where voting papers were issued to every member of the Senate who had simply to sign them, have his signature attested and then send them on. He deprecated this practice by those who could possibly attend, but the method was otherwise advantageous. Another point related to the constitution, powers and functions of the Senate, which under the bill was a mere name. The act, moreover, did not say how and when the Senate was to be elected. He believed a strong committee should be appointed to consider these and other matters, consisting of men who could easily attend meetings and prepare the reports.

Dr. Powell regretted not being present in the morning, or he should probably have withdrawn his name from nomination. He was exceedingly gratified at the honor done him. He had been told by a friend some time ago that he thought it had been premature to inaugurate this University, but, had he been present to-day, he was certain he would have been of a different opinion. He would endeavor to justify the confidence reposed in him by working to make the university a success and to carry out the bill.

Rev. D. Fraser explained the difficulties that had been experienced in the preparation of the bill, and the care that was taken to make it as perfect as possible. They had considered the acts incorporating other colleges, but the conditions were different, and they had not been able to get much help from outside sources. The Legislature in passing the bill, had given them credit for knowing more about the subject than they really did. In consequence they did not alter the bill much; but it would have been much better if they had not touched it at all. He specially referred to the latter part of section 19. He did not think the present meeting could do much; it could only act in an advisory capacity. He saw no objection to the use of ballot papers as had been recommended. After reviewing the bill and pointing out why it contained certain provisions, and where these were susceptible to amendments, he observed that it were well that suggestions should be made from all quarters.

It was moved by C. Whetham, seconded by A. C. Brydone-Jack, "that a committee be appointed to examine the B. C. University Act and report at subsequent meetings of convocation."

Mr. Whetham took up the Act and discussed it at length, pointing out that it had been mainly taken from the Manitoba Act, while its clauses were contradictory and many of them unworkable.

The motion was adopted.

It was moved by Mr. Schofield, seconded by Prof. Odlum, that Rev. Donald Fraser and Messrs. J. S. Yates and Dr. Powell, of Victoria, Messrs. C. Whetham and Lawson, of Vancouver, and Messrs. C. Morrison, Brydon-Jack and the Bishop of New Westminster be and are hereby constituted a committee of this convocation for the purpose of [illegible] the present University Act of British Columbia, with a view to further legislation on the subject matter of the act at the ensuing provincial legislature, said committee to report to convocation within two months from this date.

Dr. Lawson moved, seconded by Mr. Morrison, that convocation proceed to the election of members of the Senate.

It was moved in amendment by Rev. D. Fraser, seconded by Dr. Powell, "that the election of members of Senate take place at the statutory meeting of convocation in May, and that the voting shall be by means of voting papers sent through the mail as practiced in the meeting."

After some discussion it was moved in amendment by Rev. E. D. McLaren, seconded by H. L. Stramberg, "that the election of the members of Senate, referred to in section 4, be postponed until the meeting of convocation, at which the committee on the revision of the act shall submit its report, and that said election shall take place by voting papers sent through the mail."

On motion of Rev. Mr. McLaren, seconded by Mr. Cowperthwaite, it was resolved that the next meeting of convocation be held at Vancouver on a day to be fixed by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Rand, seconded by Dr. DeWolf Smith, it was resolved that the committee appointed to consider the University charter be a standing committee until the regular meeting of convocation in May.

Convocation then adjourned.

An Improvement.

W. M. Halliday is now busy compiling for R. T. Williams, publisher of the B. C. Directory, the largest and most complete directory of the Province ever published.

Reserve your orders for it. 26-1w.

Effect of the Strike.

The following notice has been posted up in John Rosenfeld's weighing-house at San Francisco, and shows how the coal market is just now: "We can take no more orders to fill Wellington coal till our present orders are filled."

What to Wear.

To-day there arrived the first consignment of fall goods for gentleman's clothing. They comprise a well selected stock of Scotch, French, and German goods in the latest patterns, and will be made up at reasonable figures, in a first class manner, by J. McCallum, 43 Fort street.

A Punch Bowl.

A royal punch bowl of oxydized silver, gold lined, with ladle to match, graced one of Pennock & Clayton's windows to-day. It is of most ample proportions, artistic in its workmanship, and would make a most fitting center piece to any festive board. A beautiful egg set of frosted silver is also displayed, and would make a most acceptable and tasty wedding gift.

How Much Will It Cost?

Tha incongruous pile of brick and mortar belonging to the Provincial Government, and known as the court house, has since its erection been a puzzle to every architect who has tried to improve the acoustic properties of its rooms so that the judge could hear the lawyers and vice versa. Chinese matting and other material was placed on the walls, and in some of the rooms made an improvement as regards sound but sadly disfigured the walls. The Government was not satisfied, however, and for several weeks past carpenters and plasterers have been at work on a little court room at the southwest corner of the building. It is true they have improved the room by lowering the ceiling, but the question asked on all sides is "how much is the concern going to cost the Government before it is finished?" The whole unsightly edifice, in the opinion of a prominent American architect who inspected it a few days ago, will have to be pulled down before its beauty or utility can be discovered. In the meantime it might be made of some use, as a sort of "frightful example," to warn all future governments against outraging public taste and public convenience in the construction of our public buildings. In that way only can such a conglomeration of massive walls, crooked staircases, echo haunted rooms, meaningless passages that lead to nowhere, large hallways and small offices be of any real practical service to the people.

Missionary Work in India.

Rev. John Wilkie, M. A., a missionary of the Canadian Presbyterian Church at Indore, India, for nine years, and who is returning to that country to resume his labors, spoke for an hour and a quarter in the school room of the First Presbyterian Church on Tuesday evening. The address was a rapid survey of the religious and social life of the people, and it was listened to with intense interest by the large number who, notwithstanding other attractions came to hear Mr. Wilkie. The speaker touched on the characteristics of the peoples, their religions and superstitious, and showed that that great country with its 260,000,000 of inhabitants had arrived at that critical period in its political and religious life when it must go forward to the enjoyment of greater liberties. Caste, still strong among the poorer classes, had lost the respect of the educated natives, and many of the old superstitions had been dispelled. The speaker's argument, in short, was, that the harvest was only awaiting the reapers, and that by educating native missionaries, a great work would be accomplished in the near future in that interesting land. The lecture was an eloquent appeal for the missionary cause, and at the close a suggestion was made by Rev. Mr. McLeod that the subscription should be for the benefit of Mr. Wilkie's college at Indore, which was liberally responded to.

On Friday morning next Sir Hector Langevin, accompanied by Thos. Chapais, editor of Le Courier du Canada, Madame Chapais, the Misses Langevin and Mr. Roy will leave Montreal for the west, remaining over night in Toronto, going thence to Owen Sound and Port Arthur, where the private car Champlain will be placed at their disposal. Sir Hector comes to the Pacific coast partly on business and partly on pleasure, and besides visiting Winnipeg, Banff and other interesting points, the French Canadian chieftain will take in Vancouver, Victoria and New Westminster.

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MRS. C. KOSCHE, 31 Government St., Victoria. au11-1m

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between John J. Hayes and Jas. W. Meldram has been dissolved by mutual consent, the undersigned carrying on the business of the firm at the "Ship Inn," Wharf street, receiving all accounts due said firm, and pay all bills.

JAMES W. MELDRAM.

Victoria, Aug. 18, 1890. aug18-1m

NOTICE.

Estate of Richard Hunter, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the estate of Richard Hunter, late of the City of Victoria, B. C., deceased, are requested to send in the same to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of September next.

CHAS. N. CAMERON,
LOUIS G. McQUADE,
Executors.

Dated at Victoria this 21st day of July, A. D. 1890. jy31-td

CHANGE OF BUSINESS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE business at 54 Yates street, known as Steitz Bros., Restaurant and Bakery has this day been sold to Mr. C. C. Fox. It is requested that all bills owing the old firm will be promptly paid, and all outstanding accounts to 28th July, will be paid on presentation by the undersigned. Thanking the public for their generous patronage in the past, we solicit a continuance of the same for our successor.

STEITZ BROS.

Victoria, 28th July, 1890. jy30

In continuing the above business, I respectfully solicit a continuation of the patronage hitherto extended to Messrs. Steitz Bros., and shall endeavor to merit the same by keeping the business up to its present excellent standard, and by careful attention to the wants of my customers.

C. C. FOX.

LICENSE NOTICES.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT AT THE next meeting of the Bench of Licensing Magistrates, of the City of Victoria, I will apply for a transfer of the license to sell wines and liquors by retail at the Grand Pacific Hotel, corner of Johnson and Store streets, held by J. Bossi, to the undersigned.

JAMES DALEY.

Victoria, Aug. 9, 1890. aug9-1d

NOTICE

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT AT THE next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners I intend to apply for the transfer of the license from Steitz and Pelletier, 54 Yates street, to C. C. Fox, in the same premises.

C. C. FOX.

Victoria, Aug., 9, 1890. au9

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Court for the City of Victoria, for permission to sell wines, spirits, beer and other fermented and intoxicating liquors on the premises known as No. 34 Erie street, James Bay, the same being situate on town lot No. 1300 in the City of Victoria.

HENRY GLIDE.

Dated this 4th day of Aug., A.D. 1890. au4m

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT AT THE next meeting of the Bench of Licensing Magistrates, of the City of Victoria, I will apply for a transfer of the license to sell wines and liquors by retail at the Ship Inn Saloon, situate on Wharf street, held by Felix Leslouis to me.

au4-1d JAMES W. MELDRAM.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the next sitting of the Licensing Court I intend to apply for permission to sell wines and liquors at the premises, No. 106 Yates street.

R. A. SHORE.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 6, 1890. au6-tf

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Court for the City of Victoria, for permission to sell wines, spirits, beer and other fermented liquors on the premises known as the Stelly House, situate on the south-west corner of Blanchard and Johnson streets in the said City of Victoria, British Columbia.

JOHN DROUT.

Dated this 6th day of August, 1890. au7

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT AT THE next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners I intend to apply for the transfer of the license of the American Hotel bar, Yates street, from T. Burns to George Shea.

GEO. SHEA.

Victoria Aug. 7, 1890. au7-1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend to apply to the Licensing Court at its next sitting for a transfer from Joseph Devlin to me of his license to sell wines and liquors by retail on the premises situate on the north-east corner of Broad and Yates streets in the City of Victoria.

A. J. ROWBOTHAM.

Dated at Victoria, August 1st 1890. au1-1m

In consequence of the above notice, interested parties have circulated the rumor that I intend to open a bar on my premises. I have no intention of selling liquor, either wholesale or retail, and desire the public to know it.

A. J. ROWBOTHAM.

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VICTORIA, 23rd Aug., 1890.

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IN THE "TIMES."

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A GRAND CONCERT.

Not in Name Only—Last Night's Concert an Artistic Success.

Long before the opening selection by the Warspite orchestra, at the grand concert in aid of the Royal Provincial Jubilee Hospital last evening, the theater was thronged with a cultured, fashionable, and as it proved a thoroughly appreciative audience. Under distinguished patronage, with tireless workers to make and carry through the plans, and in aid of a most deserving object, the concert proved a grand success, artistically and financially. His Honor the Lieut-Governor and Mrs Nelson were present, and there was represented all the wealth and beauty of Victoria in the large assemblage.

The stage was set to represent a drawing room. Upon the right, the baby grand piano recently completed by Goodwin & Co. and on the left an upright from the same house. The former which was tuned to Philharmonic or concert pitch was used for all of the instrumental selections, while the latter in French pitch, was used to accompany the vocalists. Tall screens of curious workmanship, easels tastefully draped, and holding choice pictures, vases laden with flowers, rich furniture and handsome rugs completed as pretty a concert stage as one often sees. Mrs. Gore, Miss Higgins and Miss Moore superintended the stage setting.

The opening number of the programme "Dorothy" by H. M. S. Warspite's orchestra, was finely rendered, and was a happy prelude to the good things to come. The orchestra consists of sixteen pieces, is well balanced, and shows evidence of most careful training and formed one of the leading features of the concert.

Miss Chambers' first appearance with Mr. T. S. Gore, was the signal for a round of applause. They rendered in a charming manner Pinsuti's duet "Ama." Although loudly applauded, they denied their friends an encore. Their duet was one of the best things of the evening, the rich contralto of Miss Chambers blending in perfect unison with Mr. Gore's superb baritone. Miss Chambers' voice is a contralto of extensive range, the lower register clear and powerful, the higher notes of unusual sweetness and purity. She puts much expression and life into her music, and her perfect self-possession and unaffected manner, won her hearers at once.

Miss Holmes, a talented young lady of Winnipeg, who is visiting Mrs. John Irving, next rendered in faultless manner one of Chopin's piano solos. The difficult music was interpreted in a way that showed a thorough knowledge of the instrument. The selections rendered by Miss Holmes in the second part of the programme, were brighter and more catchy, and her efforts were rewarded by most liberal applause.

Mr. W. R. Higgins' ballad "Best of All," was a charming little piece, and when the applause had subsided he sang "Leaving yet Loving" in a most acceptable manner.

Mrs. Fellows and Miss Beeton's humorous character sketch, in which the story of the intoxicated geese was well told, was very amusing.

Miss Chambers then sang her second selection, "Ah, se tu dormi, Sevegliati," from Vaccaj's Giulietta e Romeo, and for an encore, the beautiful song, "Take me to thy heart again." The latter won the unbounded admiration of her listeners showing as it did to full advantage her wonderful powers. A lovely bouquet and basket of flowers were presented to the prima donna, and the first half of the evening's programme was brought to a close.

The Warspite band opened part second with a fine selection from "Il Trovatore," the beautiful opera of Verdi's, of which one never tires. It was then that the orchestra was fully appreciated, and in response to a hearty encore, a lively schottische was rendered, giving a foretaste of the excellent dance music which will be given at the ball Friday evening.

Miss Helen Monatt sang "May Dew," with much expression and taste, and as an encore, "Cherry Ripe." Miss Monatt's splendid voice and finished style is so well known that extended comment is unnecessary. She is always greatly appreciated. Miss Beeton played her accompaniment.

Mr. Gore's song, "Anticipation," with violin and violincello obligato by Miss Angus and Mr. Bonning, was especially well sung; but perhaps his best effort of the evening was "The Capture of Bacchus," sung upon his recall.

The "Angel's Serenade," given by Miss Chambers, with a violin obligato by Mr. Gore, had to be repeated, and the fair singer was again rewarded with flowers. A well rendered overture, "The Flounder," by the orchestra, and God Save the Queen, brought to a close one of the most delightful amateur concerts ever given in this city.

The accompanist of the evening was Mrs. W. R. Higgins, who did her arduous duty in a most acceptable manner. The promoters, Messrs. W. R. Higgins and T. S. Gore, are to be congratulated on the flattering success which attended their efforts. The kindness of Mr. Goodwin in loaning the two handsome pianos used on this occasion should not be overlooked.

A HEALTHY TRIP.

An Excursion Party to Alberni Meet Rough Experience.

A week ago last Tuesday Captain Spring and the three Misses Spring, Miss Dunsiall, and Messrs. Wm. and R. Carmichael left Victoria for Alberni on the overland route. The E. & N. R. R. to Nanaimo was taken, after which a "prairie schooner" drawn by two stout horses was used as a means of locomotion. The trail to Alberni was very rough, as this team was the largest ever across it, and consequently much difficulty was experienced. Trees had to be cut down in many places to get the wagon by, and several times the wheels had to be taken off to allow of the rig going under trunks of trees which had lodged over the trail. The party camped at Englishman's River, and at Cameron Lake. At the latter place Mr. Goepel and party, of this city, were met, all being well. The return trip was much easier, and all arrived home much benefitted by the trip, reaching Victoria this afternoon.

Thermometer at Cochrans & Munn's.

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From Alaska.

A telegram was received to-day from Nanaimo stating that the steamer Queen would arrive here at four o'clock this afternoon.

Baggage Express.

The Driard Transfer Co., Northern Pacific office, Government street, connects with all trains and steamboats. Baggage checked to Puget Sound and all eastern points. je12

Garden Party.

A large number of ladies and gentlemen accepted the invitation to Government House garden party this afternoon. The weather, it is perhaps superfluous to say, is auspicious, and the event is in every respect an agreeable and successful affair.

New Arrivals.

Every day will be found in our city hotel registers the names of the new arrivals; but no mention will be made of the elegant lot of carpets just arrived for Hastie & Erskine. Persons furnishing will do well to see them at 62 Government street, before purchasing elsewhere. Patterns and prices are right. *

For the South.

The steamer Umatilla sailed for San Francisco this morning with the following passengers from this port: Mrs. A. Dods, Miss E. C. Dods, H. T. Dods, H. Shaw, W. Bowell, wife and child, J. W. Doxsee, Justice McCreight, Mrs. C. Heal, Miss J. Hayes, F. E. Parlin, F. O. Michel, J. H. Hawthornwaite and wife.

Spanish Music.

The success of the first Pistoli and Mantanelli concert in aid of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. was so pronounced that the management have decided to repeat it on Saturday evening at the Y. M. C. A. rooms. Some of the best local talent will assist, and a musical treat of rare excellence is assured.

Shut Down.

All the hands recently working on the Newcastle Island quarry were paid off last evening and it was announced that the quarry would be shut down for an indefinite period. This course it is said was made necessary on account of the high duty which the United States senate have placed on British Columbia stone going into the states.

K. of P. Parade.

The Uniform Rank, K. of P., have been ordered to parade at their rooms, Grimm's block, to-morrow evening, and after drill they will march in a body to Steitz's restaurant and partake of a supper. This annual public parade is part of the obligations of the members, and it is commemorative of the founding of the Uniform Rank.

The Dominion Hotel.

Messrs. Elford & Smith have secured the contract for building the new Dominion Hotel, which is to be erected on the site of the old building, Yates street. The new hotel is to be brick, three stories and a basement, and built in a modern manner with all the latest improvements. The old building was today being hauled away up Yates street, outside the fire limits, the veteran Mr. Bond having charge of the job.

Cannot be Surpassed.

Mr. Jno. T. Pierre, merchant tailor, has received his first shipment of fall and winter goods, comprising elegant English and American coatings, suitings and trousering. On inspection they will be welcomed by lovers of choice cloth as they far surpass any previous importation of woolens into British Columbia, and as Mr. Pierre employs none but the best workmen, his customers may depend on having their garments cut and made in a satisfactory manner.

Nearly a Bad Accident.

Messrs. Goepel and Shears, of this city, who went on a hunting expedition to Cameron Lake with Dr. Davis and Mr. Peck, of Nanaimo, have returned to the city. On their way out one of the horses became unmanageable and commenced to balk. Mr. Shears was thrown from the buckboard into a gully and received a couple of very ugly bruises and a bad shaking up. He was attended to however by Dr. Davis and was able to continue the journey. The party say that very little big game was encountered, but they had splendid sport fishing.

On a New Charge.

In the police court this morning Charles Lawson and Frank Anderson appeared on remand charged with stealing from the Nickle Plate saloon. Mr. S. P. Mills appeared for Lawson, Anderson was undefended. Evidence was taken, but the prosecution was weak and both men were discharged. Anderson was then re-arrested on a new charge of stealing preferred by one Georgie Douglas, a resident of Broad street, who makes oath that Anderson has relieved her of six dollars odd, and a leather purse. On this charge Anderson was detained, and will be given a further hearing to-morrow.

Liberal Donations.

The secretary of the Mine and Mine Laborers Protective Association acknowledges the following donations in aid of the Wellington miners:

Typographical Union, No. 201, Victoria	$100.00
United Brewery Workmen Union, San Francisco	200 00
Council of Federated Trades San Francisco	25 00
Bricklayers and Masons International Union, Victoria	15 00
Ship Carpenters and Calkers Union Victoria	49 00
Franklin Assembly, No 10,563 K of L Franklin, W. T.	5 00
Labors Protective Union, No. 1, Seattle	5 00
Stevedores, Longshoremen and Riggers Union, Seattle	25 00
Queen City Assembly, No. 3413, K of L Seattle	10 00
Steamshipmens Union, Seattle	50 00

A MASSIVE BUILDING.

The Walls of the New Methodist Church Rapidly Rising Skyward.

The walls of the new Pandora Ave. Methodist Church are fast assuming shape under the skilful hands of the employees of Mr. H. H. Macdonald, the contractor. As the massive but well designed edifice rises out of the chaotic heap of stone it is seen that Architect Hooper's ideas of a fine church are good ones, as even now, while incomplete, the architectural beauties are readily seen, and the generally excellent arrangements of details is easily perceived.

The school room end of the building is being rapidly completed, and the stone work is so far advanced that it will be ready for the roof in about a week more. It is hoped to have it ready for occupancy by the first of October, when the congregation, which now gathers at the old church, corner Pandora and Broad streets, will attend in the new building, the school room of which will seat 300 people comfortably. The main church, with a seating capacity of 1400, will most likely be ready by Christmas, as Contractor Macdonald is making good headway with the job.

GOING FURTHER AFIELD.

The C. P. R. Telegraph Offices More Distant From Business Centres.

Commercial men fondly hoped that when the C.P.R. telegraph offices were removed from their old quarters, corner Broughton and Government streets, that a locality more centrally situated would be chosen, but, alas, the hope is not verified, and the anticipation has come to naught, for instead of coming into the business centre of the city the offices have been taken even further away.

Considerable adverse comment is heard over the matter, many business men saying that considering the great growth of business through the office, it would be better for those who have occasion to use the wires were the offices more contiguous to the commercial part of the city. Strangers often enquire the whereabouts of the telegraph office, and when told to go "down toward the bridge, and the office would be found in the last block on the right," a look of wonderment would overspread the countenance of the stranger, and in an apologetic manner he would reply, "Why, I thought there was a big central office at Victoria."

It is understood that the heads of the C. P. R., have always been desirous of bringing their telegraph offices nearer town, but that no suitable premises could be obtained. It is rumored now, however, that this rubicon has been passed, and that a first-class site has been offered, answering perfectly the requisites of locality, etc. It is likely that negotiations may go forward and the site be obtained without delay. It would be a boon to the business men, and would gain for the company the thanks of all.

NAUTICAL NOTES.

Items of Interest Along the Water Front. General Marine News.

The steamer Walla Walla arrived at this port last night with 200 tons of freight to local dealers. She was detained by head winds and heavy fogs.

The Pacific Mail Steamship Company are bound to keep up with their rivals, the C. P. R., and for that purpose will build large elegant steamers to run across the Pacific.

The steamer Umatilla was delayed two hours this morning taking on 400 tons of Alaska salmon at Port Townsend for San Francisco. She took 20 tons of hides and 20 tons of rice from this port.

The schooner Maggie Ross, during a thick fog Tuesday morning, went ashore at low water at Point Wilson, near where the bark Oakland grounded a few weeks ago. The Ross was afterwards got off uninjured.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—A dispatch to the Merchants' Exchange from London this morning says: The British bark Glenbervie, from Oregon, grounded at Sligo while entering port. She will probably come off at high tide. The Glenbervie belonged to the Victoria fleet and loaded at Portland after discharging here.

The German ship Columbus, Captain Sauermilch, 1731 tons, arrived Monday morning to load lumber at Moodyville saw mill. A steamer which can carry upwards of a million and a half feet is expected to arrive in a day or two to load lumber at the same mill. Seldom has a season in British Columbia been livelier in the lumber trade than the present.

Large Onions.

Mr. Duncan Robertson has shown us onions grown by him in a garden on the Dr. Ash estate, which are equal to anything of the kind brought from California. They average one pound per onion and measure 4½ inches in diameter. Nevertheless we still continue to pay the California producers for growing this and other kinds of vegetables.

Nanaimo's Precocity.

A. Shaw writes to the Nanaimo Free Press, claiming that the proposed university should be located at Nanaimo, because the children there "pass into the high school at an earlier age than the children of any other city in the province." Nanaimo children, it is asserted are as far advanced at thirteen and a half years of age as the children of Victoria are at fifteen.

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Looks Like Business.

Building operations are lively around the Custom House wharf, a gang of men being busy getting ready for the work of blasting out Beaven rock in this harbor. The boiler and machinery for running the drills have been placed on a new barge and covered with a neat building. The old hoisting dredger used for raising the rock after it is blasted has also been placed an a new scow, fitted with new derricks. These improvements make marine men feel as though the Government were at last going to do something to Victoria harbor.

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